

Mont Vernon, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

Selectmen: Monday through Thursday, 9 am - 2 pm; Town Clerk: Monday, Wednesday, 5 pm - 8 pm, Tuesday, Thursday, 8 am - 12 noon; Tax Collector: Monday, 5 pm - 8 pm, Wednesday, 4 pm - 6 pm

County
Labor Market Area
Tourism Region
Planning Commission
Regional Development

Hillsborough
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Division
Merrimack Valley
Nashua Regional
Capital Regional Development Council

Election Districts

US Congress
Executive Council
State Senate
State Representative

District 2
District 5
District 9
Hillsborough County Districts 5, 40

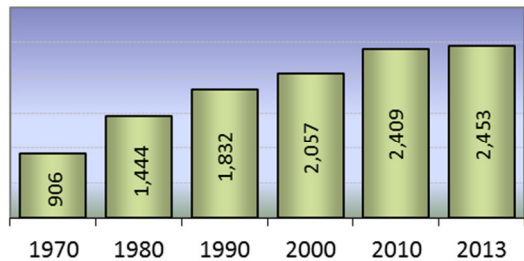
Incorporated: 1803

Origin: This town started as the northwest parish of Amherst. Residents of the parish felt that their homes were too far from the courthouse in Amherst, making travel to town meetings very inconvenient. Mont Vernon was incorporated by legislature in 1803. The name was probably in honor of George Washington's Virginia estate, which got its name from Admiral Edward Vernon. George Washington's brother, Lawrence, the original owner of the estate, served under Admiral Vernon as an officer. Although probably not the reason for selecting this name, Admiral Vernon was also a close friend of Governor Wentworth.

Villages and Place Names: unknown

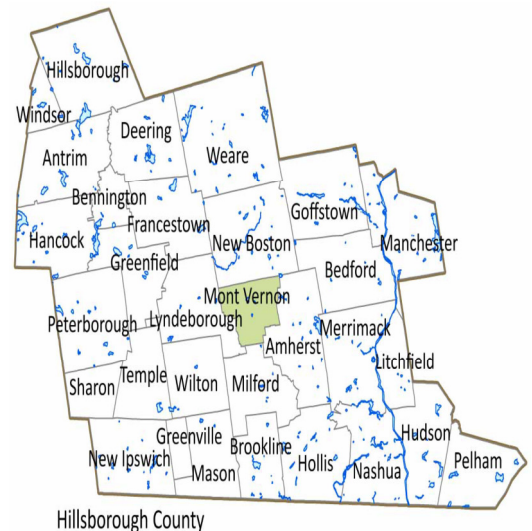
Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 762 residents in 1810

Population Trends: Population change for Mont Vernon totaled 1,868 over 53 years, from 585 in 1960 to 2,453 in 2013. The largest decennial



percent change was a 59 percent increase between 1970 and 1980, following a 55 percent increase between 1960 and 1970. The 2013 Census estimate for Mont Vernon was 2,453 residents, which ranked 125th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2013 (US Census Bureau): 145.8 persons per square mile of land area. Mont Vernon contains 16.8 square miles of land area and 0.08 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES			
Type of Government		Selectmen	
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2014		\$2,113,510	
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Zoning Ordinance		1963/10	
Master Plan		2004	
Capital Improvement Plan		Yes	
Industrial Plans Reviewed By		Planning Board	
Boards and Commissions			
Elected:	Selectmen; Treasurer; Cemetery; Town Clerk; Tax Collector; Welfare; Treasurer; Library		
Appointed:	Planning; Conservation; Zoning; Recreation; Historic District; Beautification		
Public Library	Daland Memorial		
EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		Full-time	
Fire Department		On-Call	
Emergency Medical Service		Private	
Nearest Hospital(s)		Distance	Staffed Beds
Southern NH Medical Center, Nashua		15 miles	188
St. Joseph Hospital, Nashua		16 miles	144
Catholic Medical Center, Manchester		16 miles	233
UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier		None	
Water Supplier		Private wells	
Sanitation		Private septic	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		No	
Solid Waste Disposal			
Curbside Trash Pickup		None	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No	
Recycling Program		Mandatory	
Telephone Company		Fairpoint; Wilton	
Cellular Telephone Access		Yes	
Cable Television Access		Yes	
Public Access Television Station		No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Yes	
	Residential	Yes	
PROPERTY TAXES		(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2013 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$27.45	
2013 Equalization Ratio		107.3	
2013 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$29.26	
2013 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings		98.3%	
Commercial Land and Buildings		0.8%	
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other		1.0%	
HOUSING		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Total Housing Units		881	
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached		792	
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure		6	
Five or More Units in Structure		24	
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units		59	

DEMOGRAPHICS (US Census Bureau)		
Total Population	Community	County
2013	2,453	402,979
2010	2,409	400,721
2000	2,057	382,384
1990	1,832	336,549
1980	1,444	276,608
1970	906	223,941
Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2009-2013		
Population by Gender		
Male	1,228	Female 1,225
Population by Age Group		
Under age 5		109
Age 5 to 19		619
Age 20 to 34		256
Age 35 to 54		839
Age 55 to 64		343
Age 65 and over		287
Median Age		44.1 years
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over		
High school graduate or higher		96.7%
Bachelor's degree or higher		49.1%
INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ (ACS 2009-2013)		
Per capita income		\$37,347
Median family income		\$95,545
Median household income		\$95,203
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers		
Male		\$76,765
Female		\$37,596
Individuals below the poverty level		7.6%
LABOR FORCE (NHES – ELMI)		
Annual Average	2003	2013
Civilian labor force	1,266	1,387
Employed	1,211	1,327
Unemployed	55	60
Unemployment rate	4.3%	4.3%
EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES – ELMI)		
Annual Average Covered Employment	2003	2013
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	n	19
Average Weekly Wage	n	\$ 496
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	n	46
Average Weekly Wage	n	\$1,431
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	106	65
Average Weekly Wage	\$1,379	\$1,155
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	78	69
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 407	\$ 615
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	184	134
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 967	\$ 877
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EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	Mont Vernon operates grades K-6; grades 7-8 are tuitioned to Amherst; grades 9-12 are part of Souhegan Cooperative (Amherst; Mont Vernon)			District: SAU 39
Career Technology Center(s):	Wilbur H. Palmer Voc. Tech. Center, Hudson; Milford HS & Applied Technology Center, Milford; Nashua Technology Center			Region: 16
Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			
Grade Levels	K 1-6			
Total Enrollment	188			

Nearest Community College: **Manchester; Nashua**Nearest Colleges or Universities: **St. Anselm; Mount Washington College; Southern NH University; UNH-Manchester**

2014 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

Total Facilities: **0** Total Capacity: **0**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Information Unlimited, Inc.	Science educational devices	12	1972
Mont Vernon Design	Design services	2	1984

TRANSPORTATION (*distances estimated from city/town hall*)

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	13
Nearest Interstate, Exit	I-293, Exit 4	
	Distance	16 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Boire Field, Nashua	Runway	6,000 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	19 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		4
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		17 miles
Portland, Maine		113 miles
Boston, Mass.		59 miles
New York City, NY		230 miles
Montreal, Quebec		268 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK

(ACS 2009-2013)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	75.2%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	3.1%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	5.3%
Other means	6.4%
Worked at home	10.0%
Mean Travel Time to Work	25.3 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2009-2013

Working in community of residence	30.6
Commuting to another NH community	66.2
Commuting out-of-state	3.2

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
X	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): McIntyre, Pats Peak, Crotched Mountain
	Other: Lamson Farm; Purgatory Falls